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1. FOLLOWING ARE OUR COMMENTS ON US DELEGATION'S PROPOSED TACTICS FOR REMAINING ISSUES IN DISARMAMENT TEXT.

2. SUBPARA 2. WE SHARE UK AND FRENCH PREFERENCE FOR ORIGINAL VERSION OF PARA 2: "THE (ADJECTIVE) RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN THE SECURITY OF EACH PARTICIPATING STATE AND, IN THE CONTEXT OF THESE EFFORTS, SECURITY IN EUROPE AS A WHOLE . . ." NEVERTHELESS, PER YOUR SUGGESTION (REFTEL A), YOU NEED NOT AGGRESSIVELY PUSH THIS POSITION AND MAY JOIN IN A CONSENSUS SHOULD ONE FORM BEHIND SOVIET/NEUTRAL VERSION: "THE MUTUAL RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN THE SECURITY OF EUROPE AND THE SECURITY OF EACH PARTICIPATING STATE."

3. SUBPARA 3. WE CAN ACCEPT EITHER ORIGINAL SOVIET VERSION OF PARA 3 OF TEXT OR YUGOSLAV VERSION WITH OR WITHOUT REFERENCE TO "SOVEREIGN EQUALITY." YOU SHOULD MAINTAIN LOW

PROFILE. HOWEVER, WE WOULD PREFER NOT TO HAVE ANY REFERENCE TO "UNDIMINISHED" SECURITY IN PARA 3 AND YOU SHOULD INDICATE TO SOVIETS OUR DESIRE TO SEE WORD "UNDIMINISHED" DROPPED. WE BELIEVE THIS WORD TOO CLOSELY PARALLELS MBFR FORMULATION, THEREBY SUGGESTING LINKAGE, AND IS UNNECESSARY IN THE PRESENT CONTEXT. SHOULD QUESTION COME UP IN ALLIED CAUCUS, YOU SHOULD SAY WHY WE ARE RELUCTANT TO USE THIS WORD.

4. SUBPARA 4. WE WOULD PREFER FORMULATION ALONG FOLLOWING LINES: "THE INTEREST OF STATES PARTICIPATING IN THE CSCE IN HAVING INFORMATION PROVIDED BY THE PARTICIPANTS IN SUCH EFFORTS ABOUT RELEVANT DEVELOPMENTS, LROGRESS, AND RESULTS, AND THE INTEREST OF ANY OF THOSE STATES IN MAKING ITS VIEWS KNOWN TO THOSE PARTICIPANTS." IF A CONSENSUS CANNOT BE REACHED ON THIS LANGUAGE, US CAN ACCEPT A MODIFICATION OF THE UK FORMULATION, READING ". . . TAKE INTO ACCOUNT: ... THE IMPORTANCE OF HAVING INFORMATION PROVIDED. . ." WE WISH TO AVOID USE OF THE WORD "NEED" IN THIS CONTEXT, HOW-
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EVER, BELIEVING IT MIGHT IMPLY AN OBLIGATION ON PART OF THOSE INVOLVED IN ARMS CONTROL NEGOTIATIONS TO PROVIDE INFORMATION TO NON-LARTICIPANTS. KISSINGER

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